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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS : GERHARD BENNER, STEPHNIE VON DER FECHT; JENS  
NIELSEN; SABINE SCHULZ

SERIAL NO. : TBA

FILED : HEREWITH

FOR : COSMETIC OF PHARMACEUTICAL PREPARATIONS WITH  
A LESS STICKY FEEL, CONTAINING GLYCERIN ESTERS  
OF  $\alpha$ -HYDROXY CARBOXYLIC ACIDS AND SATURED  
FATTY ACIDS

ART UNIT : TBA

EXAMINER : TBA

June 22, 2000

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

SIR:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 2, line 1, delete "use of" and substitute -- Method of using --.

Claims 3-8, line 1 in each, after "Claim 1" insert a comma and cancel the balance of the

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